

Please amend claim 15 as follows:

15. (Amended) The flexible container of Claim 13, wherein at least one member of the group consisting of the first flexible member and the second flexible member has a design associated therewith.

a² Please amend claim 16 as follows:


16. (Amended) The flexible container of Claim 13, wherein the means for flow restriction further comprises:
- a stem;
 - a stopper mechanically associated with the stem; and
 - a gusset for reinforcement of the area between the step and the flexible member.
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A marked up copy of the claims corresponding to the above-requested amendments is attached.

CONCLUSION

The Applicant respectfully submits that the presently claimed invention, as amended, is patentable. In view of the foregoing amendment, favorable consideration by the Examiner and allowance of the amended application are requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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